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#### U.S. Patent Documents

1. U.S. Patent Application Publication No. US 2002/0198961 A1 published on 12/26/02 to Krishnamurthy et al.

#### Other Documents

1. T.F. Abdelzaher et al., "Web Server QoS Management by Adaptive Content Delivery," XP-002157975, pp. 216-225, May 1999.

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2. D-G. Lee et al., "Addressing Server Latency and Capacity to Enable Fast and Affordable

Wireless Image Data Services," XP-002300631, 8 pages, 2003.

3. W. Shi et al., "Workload Characterization of a Personalized Web Site — And Its

Implications for Dynamic Content Caching," Technical Report: TR2002-829, XP-002300632, pp.

1-17, 2002.

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